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In response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2006 (Paper No. 20061213), transmitted herewith please find the Response in (14) pages.

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Thank you for your assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions,
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Respectfully Submitted,
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

The Office Action mailed on December 27, 2006 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please amend the claims below and consider the following remarks.